

HOUSE BILL 3199

By Coleman

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-401, relative to the courtroom security enhancement fee.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-401(i)(3)(C), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(C) The fees for continuances shall be collected at the conclusion of the case from the party requesting the continuance. If multiple litigants request a continuance, the judge may assess these fees to one (1) or more parties.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.